

## Gravity: A one-year expedition to the International Space Station for Mars and health on Earth

A talk by Dr. Julie A. Robinson, Chief Scientist for the ISS, NASA

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On March 27, 2015, NASA Astronaut Scott Kelly and Russian cosmonaut Mikhail Kornienko will begin their one-year mission to the International Space Station (ISS). Researchers expect the one-year mission to yield beneficial knowledge on the medical, psychological and biomedical challenges explorers may face as they venture to an asteroid, Mars and beyond. During her talk at the Natural History Museum on February 4th, NASA's Chief Scientist for the ISS, Dr. Julie Robinson, will discuss the many benefits of the mission.



Dr. Julie A. Robinson is the Chief Scientist for the International Space Station (ISS) for the [National Aeronautics and Space Administration \(NASA\)](#) at Johnson Space Center. She represents all ISS research disciplines at the highest level in the program and provides information and recommendations to senior leaders inside the agency and stakeholders outside the agency. She chairs the ISS Program Science Forum, made up of the senior scientists from each of the primary space agencies comprising the space station international partnership. Dr. Robinson has an interdisciplinary background in the physical and biological sciences. Her professional experience has included research activities in a variety of fields, including virology, analytical chemistry, genetics, statistics, field biology, and remote sensing.

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